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To Whom It May Concern: I support the settlement crafted between Microsoft and the US DOJ. I dont feel the case was warranted from its inception. Millions of taxpayers dollars have been unjustly spent in a lawsuit that was targeted at protecting the competitors of Microsoft not consumer best interest. I do believe that some of Microsofts licensing practices and their heavy-handed approach in working with OEM system builders were in question. The trial and settlement did make progress in that area despite the process being in efferent at accomplishing these specific goals. After being in the technology industry for well over 12 years now I can honestly say that the actions of the DOJ did not reflect the best interest of consumers the technology industry or this nation as a whole. At this point in time proceeding with the settlement and curtailing the actions of the remaining litigation against Microsoft would be the best action taken for all involved. Sincerely Jason S. Harrison